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General Carl A. Strock named to head U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Northwestern Division

Portland, Ore. - - At a change of command ceremony held today, Brig. Gen. Carl A.

Strock took command of the Northwestern Division of the U.S. Army Corps of

Engineers. Strock's most recent tour of duty was as Commander and Division Engineer
of the Corps' Pacific Ocean Division, Fort Shafter in Honolulu, Hawaii.

From his Portland headquarters, General Strock will oversee all Corps of Engineers water resource activities and military and environmental programs in a 14-state area with an annual budget of more than \$1 billion.

Outgoing Commander, Brig. Gen. Robert H. Griffin, will assume duties as Commander of the Corps' Great Lakes and Ohio River Division headquartered in Cincinnati, Ohio.

On hand to preside over the change of command was the Deputy Chief of U.S. Army Corps of Engineers' Maj. Gen. Russell L. Fuhrman, a former Lake Oswego resident, who had served as the division commander from 1995 to 1996.